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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

V. ANTONUCCI et al

Serial No.: 09/702,322

Filed: October 31, 2000

For: POLYMERIC...ABOVE 100°

Examiner: T. Tran

Group: 1711

600 Third Avenue

New York, NY 10016

July 17, 2003

REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Hon. Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Further to the above-identified application, Applicants request that the period of response to the outstanding Office Action be extended for one additional month, until

July 26, 2003.

PTO Form 2038 is enclosed herewith authorizing that the appropriate fee be charged to the American Express credit card account of the undersigned attorney. Should any further extension of time or fees be necessary in order to maintain this application in pending condition, appropriate requests are hereby made and authorization is given to debit account 02-2275.

Respectfully submitted,
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